

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: David P. Andrew, Brian A. Zabel and Paul D. Ponath

Serial No.: 09/522,752

Group Art Unit: 1643

Filed: March 10, 2000

Examiner: Not Assigned

For: Anti-GPR-9-6 Antibodies and Methods of Identifying Modulators of GPR-9-6 Function

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TRANSMITTAL OF SEQUENCE LISTING AND
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Box Sequence
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Although a Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825 has not been received in our offices, transmitted herewith is a copy of the "Sequence Listing" (sheets 1/8 through 8/8) in paper form for the above-identified patent application as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.821(c) and a copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e). As required by 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f), Applicant's Agent hereby states that the content of the "Sequence Listing" in paper form and the computer readable form of the "Sequence Listing" are the same and, as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.821(g), also states that the submission includes no new matter.

Applicant's Agent submits the following amendment to comply with 37 C.F.R. §1.821:

In the Specification

Please insert the attached "Sequence Listing" (sheets 1/8 through 8/8), comprising SEQ ID NOS: 1-15, into the above-referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: September 20, 2000

FORMALITIES LETTER

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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
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09/522,752

03/10/2000

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1855.1064-003

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Date Mailed: 05/10/2000

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$2976.
 - \$1026 for 57 total claims over 20.
 - \$1950 for 25 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 3796.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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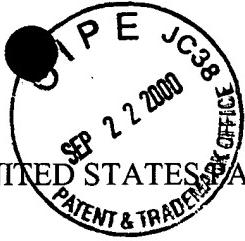
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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT
FOR UTILITY APPLICATION

Office of Initial Patent Examination
Customer Service Center
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We hereby request that the following items of information be corrected in the Filing Receipt for the subject application received in this office on May 15, 2000.

A concurrently filed Declaration/Power of Attorney is submitted herewith.

The errors and corrections appear below.

In the Applicant(s) section please add the residence of the inventors as follows:

David P. Andrew, Waltham, MA;

Brian A. Zabel, Stanford, CA;

Paul D. Ponath, San Francisco, CA

The Title should read:

Anti-GPR-9-6 Antibodies and Methods of Identifying Modulators of GPR-9-6 Function

Enclosed are a copy of the Filing Receipt with changes noted in red, and copies of the executed Declarations/Powers of Attorney.

Pursuant to instructions in the February 29, 2000 O.G., we hereby request that the errors which are identified above be corrected in the captioned application to which this request for correction is directed. It is understood that the Patent Office will issue an automatically-generated, corrected Filing Receipt in this and, if applicable, any other affected applications.

Respectfully submitted,

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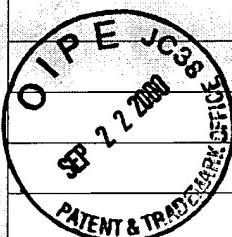
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FEE TRANSMITTAL FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS	Attorney Docket Number	1855.1064-003
	Application Number	09/522,752
	First Named Inventor	David P. Andrew

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CLAIM CALCULATION (includes any preliminary amendment)

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c) or (j))	77 - 20* =	57	x \$ 18 =	\$ 1026
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b) or (i))	28 - 3** =	25	x \$ 78 =	\$ 1950
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ \$ 260 =	\$
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a) or (h))	\$ 690
				Total of above Calculations =	\$ 3666
				Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28) =	\$
				TOTAL =	\$ 3666
				Surcharge - Late Filing of Declaration or Filing Fees (37 C.F.R. 1.16(e)) =	\$ 130
				Petition for Extension of Time Fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17) =	\$ 870
				Assignment Recordation Fee = (only when filed with application)	\$
	* Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent ** Reissue independent claims over original patent			TOTAL =	\$ 4666



1. Small entity status:
 - a. A small entity statement is enclosed.
 - b. A small entity statement was filed in the prior non-provisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
 - c. Is no longer claimed.
2. A general authorization is hereby granted to charge deposit account number 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.
3. A check is enclosed for \$4666.00. Please charge \$[] to Deposit Account No. 08-0380.
4. Other: _____

Signature	<i>Robert H. Underwood</i>	Date	<i>September 20, 2000</i>
Submitted by Typed or Printed Name	Robert H. Underwood	Reg. Number	45,170

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REPLY TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Box Missing Parts
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 10, 2000, the following documents and fees are being submitted for filing in the captioned application:

EXECUTED DECLARATION/POWER OF ATTORNEY - A copy of the Notice is attached.

(Separate transmittal letter and postcard not required)

FILING FEE - with Fee Transmittal for Patent Applications in duplicate.

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SURCHARGE - surcharge fee of \$130.00.

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SEQUENCE LISTING - Filed concurrently and is attached.

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[X] PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

[X] Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 10, 2000 for three months from July 10, 2000 to October 10, 2000. The appropriate fee of \$870.00 is included in the enclosed check.

- [] A [] month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated [] was filed on [] with payment of a \$[] fee.
- [] Applicant hereby petitions for an additional [] month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts. The appropriate fee of \$[] is included in the enclosed check.

(Separate Petition for Extension of Time and postcard not required)

[X] REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT - Filed concurrently and is attached.

(Separate transmittal letter and postcard required)

[] VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS

- [] Was filed on [].

- [] Is enclosed herewith.

(Separate transmittal letter and postcard not required)

- [] In view of the small entity status of the captioned application, we hereby request a reimbursement of 50% of the filing fees in the amount of \$[] which were paid on [] to be deposited in Deposit Account No. 08-0380.

The fees required for filing the indicated documents are enclosed in the form of a check in the total amount of \$4666.00. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees that may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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09/522,752	03/10/2000	1643	0	1855.1064-003	25	77	28

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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the PTO processes the reply to the Notice, the PTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

David P. Andrew, Residence, NOT PROVIDED; Waltham, MA;
Brian A. Zabel, Residence, NOT PROVIDED; Stanford, CA;
Paul D. Ponath, Residence, NOT PROVIDED; San Francisco, CA;

Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant

THIS APPLICATION IS A CIP OF 09/266,464 03/11/1999

Foreign Applications

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 05/09/2000

Title

Anti-GPR-9-6 antibodies and methods of identifying modulators of GPR-9-6 functions

Preliminary Class

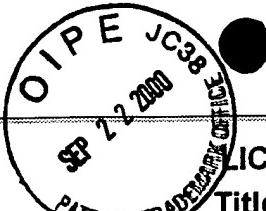
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- The docket number allows a maximum of 25 characters.
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